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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, ELEC, EIND, TW

SUBJECT: EXPORT OF COLOR TV SETS TO THE UNITED STATES

REF: A) STATE 016403 B) TAIPEI 1159

1. ADMIRAL OVERSEAS CORPORATION HAS EXPLAINED TO EMBASSY THAT PERSONNEL TRANSFERS HAVE TAKEN PLACE AT ADMIRAL'S HEAD OFFICE. THE PERSON DIRECTLY IN CHARGE OF ADMIRAL'S OVERSEAS COLOR TELEVISION MANUFACTURING IS MR. FRANK DILEO, VICE PRESIDENT OF ELECTRONIC OPERATIONS, ADMIRAL GROUP EXECUTIVE OFFICES, 1701 EAST WOODFIELD ROAD, SCHAUMBERG, ILLINOIS, 60196. TELEPHONE NUMBERS ARE (312) 884-2800, 884-2632, OR 884-2600. DILEO SHOULD BE CONTACTING EA/ROC SHORTLY TO DISCUSS LATEST ADMIRAL TAIWAN CTV SITUATION FOR 1978.

2. ADMIRAL OVERSEAS HAS ALSO BELATEDLY SUPPLIED SOME OF THE DATA FOR CY1976 AND CY1977 REQUESTED IN REFTEL A, WHICH IS AS FOLLOWS:

- ADMIRAL OVERSEAS CTV PRODUCTION VOLUME

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- (DATA IN UNITS OF 1,000)

- SIZE OF COMPLETE CTV SETS  
1976 13" 14" 17" 19" TOTAL

CTV SET TO U.S.	41.4	-	17.4	20.1	78.9
CTV SET TO CANADA	0.1	2.1	0.1	-	1.7

"CHASSIS" TO U.S. NA NA NA NA 2.1

1977

CTV SET TO U.S. 51.3 - 10.8 102.8 164.9

CTV SET TO CANADA 2.5 1.5 - - 4

"CHASSIS" TO U.S. NA NA NA NA 144.2

"CHASSIS" TO CANADA NA NA NA NA 5.2

3. AVERAGE STARTING MONTHLY WAGE FOR THE 2,350 FEMALE  
AND 200 MALE PRODUCTION OPERATORS AT ADMIRAL OVERSEAS  
CORPORATION'S TAIPEI COUNTY PLANT IS AS FOLLOWS:

BASE WAGE	NT DOLS 2,950
TRAVEL ALLOWANCE	390
ATTENDANCE ALLOWANCE	300
MEAL ALLOWANCE	390
TOTAL ACTUAL AVERAGE WAGE	NT DOLS 4,130
(NOTE: NT DOLS 38 EQUALS US DOL ONE)	

THE NUMBERS OF OTHER ADMIRAL PERSONNEL PERFORMING CTV-  
RELATED FUNCTIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS: EXECUTIVES 2, SUPERVISORS  
81, TECHNICIANS/PROFESSIONALS 153, CLERKS 83, AND OTHER  
OFFICE WORKERS 103, TOTAL 422 PERSONS. UNGER

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